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IN RE APPLICANT : Bodenhamer et al.
INVENTION: : BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL DETECTING
ARTICLES OF MANUFACTURE
SERIAL NUMBER : 10/002,402
FILING DATE : October 25, 2001
EXAMINER: : (not assigned yet)
GROUP ART UNIT : 1641
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : 1965.021

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Susan Hess

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In the above-identified application, Applicants have received a Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application (Filing Date Granted) form PTO-1533, mailed April 5, 2002, indicating that the oath filed with the above-identified application on October 25, 2001, did not include the signature of the inventors and the application lacks the filing fee. Applicants hereby submit the Declaration for the above-identified application signed by the inventors with the appropriate filing fee. Authorization is given to charge the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 13-0439 in the amount of \$370.00 for the

filing fee. Applicants also authorize Deposit Account No. 13-0439 for the surcharge of \$65.00 required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e) and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.15 and §1.17 for the filing of this response.

Applicants also submit herewith a copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts mailed April 5, 2002.

Applicants request examination on the merits.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: 6/5/2002

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Sir:

Please find enclosed for filing:

- ☒ Response to Notice to File Missing Parts
- ☒ Signed Declaration
- ☒ Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-0439 in the amount of \$435.00 as indicated in the Response.
- ☒ Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0439. This Transmittal Letter is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 435.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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